

**The
Home News**

**1972
HIGH SCHOOL**

BAND FESTIVAL



**COLONIA SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL
BAND**

COLONIA, N.J.

PRESENTED BY

**CENTRAL JERSEY
HIGH SCHOOLS
MEMORIAL STADIUM**

NEW BRUNSWICK, N.J.

PRICE 25¢

Pictured: Members of the Colonia Senior High School Band—Your Host School Band This Evening.

October 3, 1972

*A Message
from
The President
and
The Festival Director*



James L. Guter
President
The Home News Band Festival
and Band Director
J.F. Kennedy Memorial High School



John V. Donnelly
Festival Director
and Promotion Manager
The Home News

To Our Audience:

Back in 1965, with the guiding help of several area high school band directors, The Home News organized and sponsored Central New Jersey's first High School Band Festival.

Ten high schools participated that first year and the students' musical ability and marching routines were warmly received by a capacity audience.

The net proceeds of that first year's Festival were returned to the participating high schools and amounted to \$477.75. Last year's net proceeds returned to 30 participating high schools, amounted to \$5,731.87.

For the entire seven years preceding the 1972 performances the participating schools have received a total of \$21,705.30 for use by their music departments.

This kind of support over the years by you, the audience, is a tribute to your interest. The students and the schools involved sincerely thank you.

The Festival gives the students and their dedicated band directors the opportunity to present an evening of pure entertainment. The event is wholly non-competitive and designed to foster interest in music and music education in our high schools.

In staging and administering the Festival, the President and the Director have had the assistance of school and public officials, private citizens and band directors. This show is the result of their work. It belongs to the youngsters and it is yours to enjoy.

The Home News is proud of the part it plays each year in this project and thanks the schools, individuals, educators for their help and advice and you for your attendance.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "James L. Guter".

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Program

I. OPENING REMARKS JOHN V. DONNELLY
Festival Director

II. MASSING OF THE COLORS ALL SCHOOLS

III. THE NATIONAL ANTHEM COLONIA HIGH SCHOOL
Directed By Leonard Gallo
Band Director

IV. INDIVIDUAL BAND PRESENTATIONS:

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| 1. Woodbridge Senior High School | 6. Gov. Livingston Regional High School |
| 2. Middlesex Senior High School | 7. Bridgewater-Raritan East High School |
| 3. Colonia Senior High School* | 8. Carteret High School |
| 4. J.F. Kennedy Memorial High School | 9. Somerville High School |
| 5. Piscataway High School | 10. Jonathan Dayton Regional High School |
| 11. Edison High School | |

* Host Band

V. MASSING OF THE BANDS AND COLORS FOR FINALE . . . ALL SCHOOLS

VI. PRESENTATION OF AWARDS JOHN V. DONNELLY
Festival Director

VII. MASSED BAND FINALE LEONARD GALLO
Conductor

MUSIC: "AMERICA the BEAUTIFUL"

VIII. PASS IN REVIEW ALL SCHOOLS

(Please Remain In Stadium Until All Schools Have Made Their Exit March)

YOUR ANNOUNCER

Mr. Clair Bixel



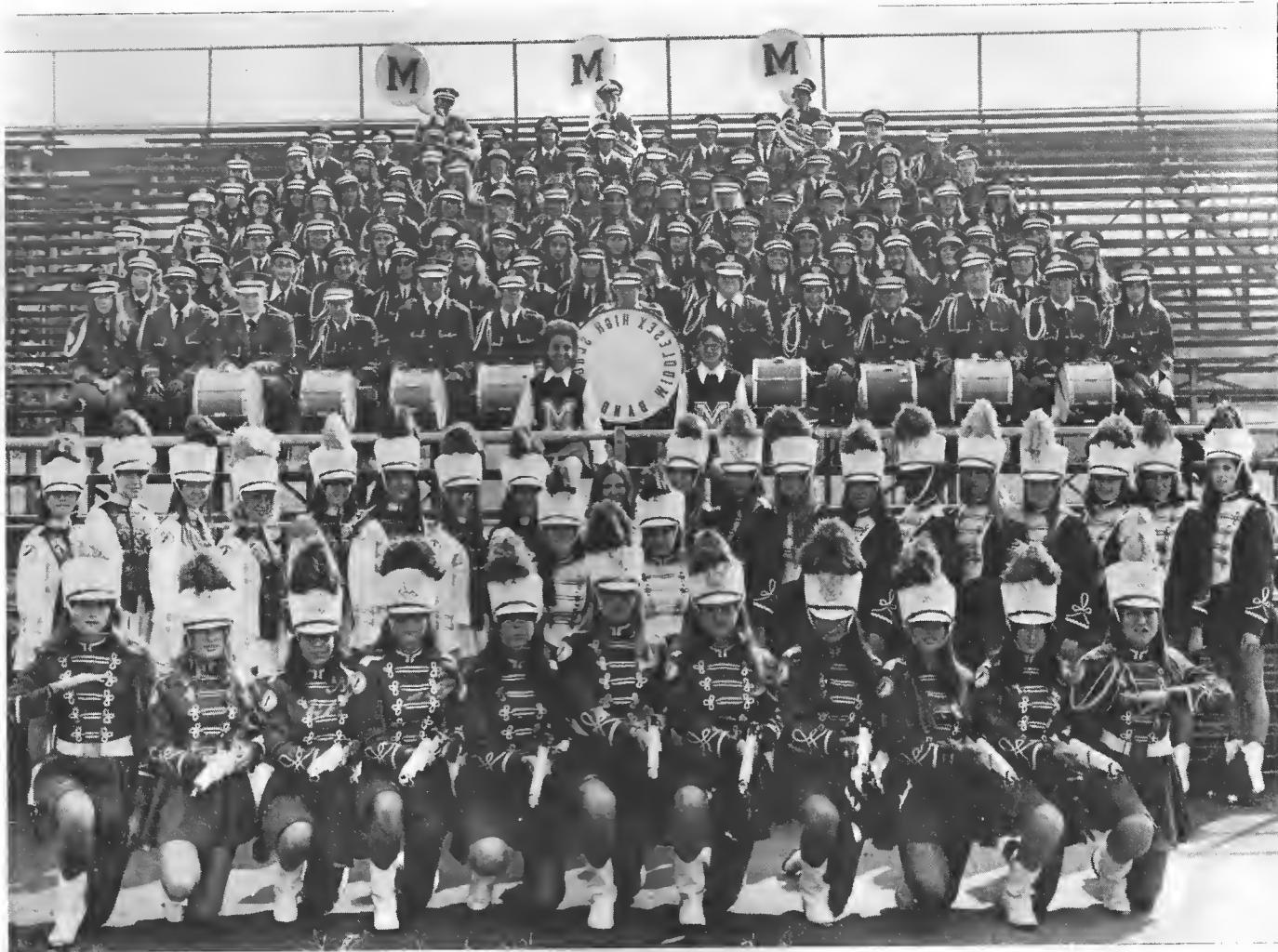
Woodbridge Senior High School



Total Enrollment	2,200
Bandsmen	72
Color Guard	10
Twirlers	14
Drill Team	28

Supt. of Schools	Dr. Fredric Buonocore
Principal	Louis Gabriel
Music Supervisor	Nicholas Romeo
Band Director	Casimir Urbanski
Asst. Band Director	Thomas Bardar
Twirling Advisor	Mrs. Barbara Davis
Drill Team Advisor	James Sullivan
Drum Major	Beth Siggelakis
Twirling Co-Captains	Peggy Varey, Ginny Hollenbach
Color Guard Co-Captains	Lori Dunn, Janice Newman
Drill Team Co-Captains	Linda Patrick, Kathy Jaeger

Middlesex High School



Total Enrollment	1,130
Bandsmen	115
Color Guard	11
Twirlers	11
Flag Twirlers	12
Banner Carriers	2

Supt. of Schools	Robert A. Sena
Principal	Fred J. Vowinkel
Vice Principals	Peter Diskin, Ronald Campbell
Music Supervisor	Domenic Pirone
Band Director	Domenic Pirone
Asst. Band Director	Richard Hoagland
Twirling and Color Guard Advisor	Richard Hoagland
Drum Majorette	Susan McDonald
Twirling Captain	Nancy Bunting
Color Guard Captain	Janice Shuhula
Flag Twirler Captain	Rosemarie Dzugan

Colonia Senior High School

Total Enrollment	1,750
Bandsmen	55
Color Guard	16
Twirlers	14
Drill Team	22
American Flag Section	7
Patriettes	10

Supt. of Schools	Dr. Fredric Buonocore
Principal	John F. O'Malley
Music Supervisor	Nicholas Romeo
Band Director	Leonard J. Gallo
Twirling Advisors	Miss Sandy Schmidtke, Miss Mary Jo-Marra
Color Guard Advisors	Miss Sandy Schmidtke, Miss Mary Ann Hreha
Drum Major	Glenn Oldak
Head Majorette	Meridith Isler
Color Guard Captain	Mary Sue McCauley
Drill Team Captain	Angie Severini
Patriettes Captain	Sandy Strickland
Faculty Advisor	Miss Elaine Barra

COLONIA HIGH SCHOOL
YOUR HOST BAND THIS EVENING



John F. Kennedy Memorial High School



Total Enrollment	1,150
Bandsmen	72
Color Guard	26
Twirlers	18
Banner Carriers	2
Drum Majorettes	3

Supt. of Schools	Dr. Fredric Buonocore
Principal	Mary P. Connolly
Music Supervisor	Nicholas Romeo
Band Director	James L. Guter
Twirling Advisor	Vincent Attardi
Assistant Twirling Advisor	Miss Antonia Di Pietro
Color Guard Advisor	William Reedy, Jr.
Head Majorette	Judi Hegedus
Asst. Majorettes	Karen O'Neil, Ann Mahon
Twirling Co-Captains	Doreen Noonan, Mona Levine
Color Guard Captain	Audre Olson, Sgt. Major Nancy Giacumbo
Flag Section Co-Captains	Pattie Bianchi, Maureen Hayduk

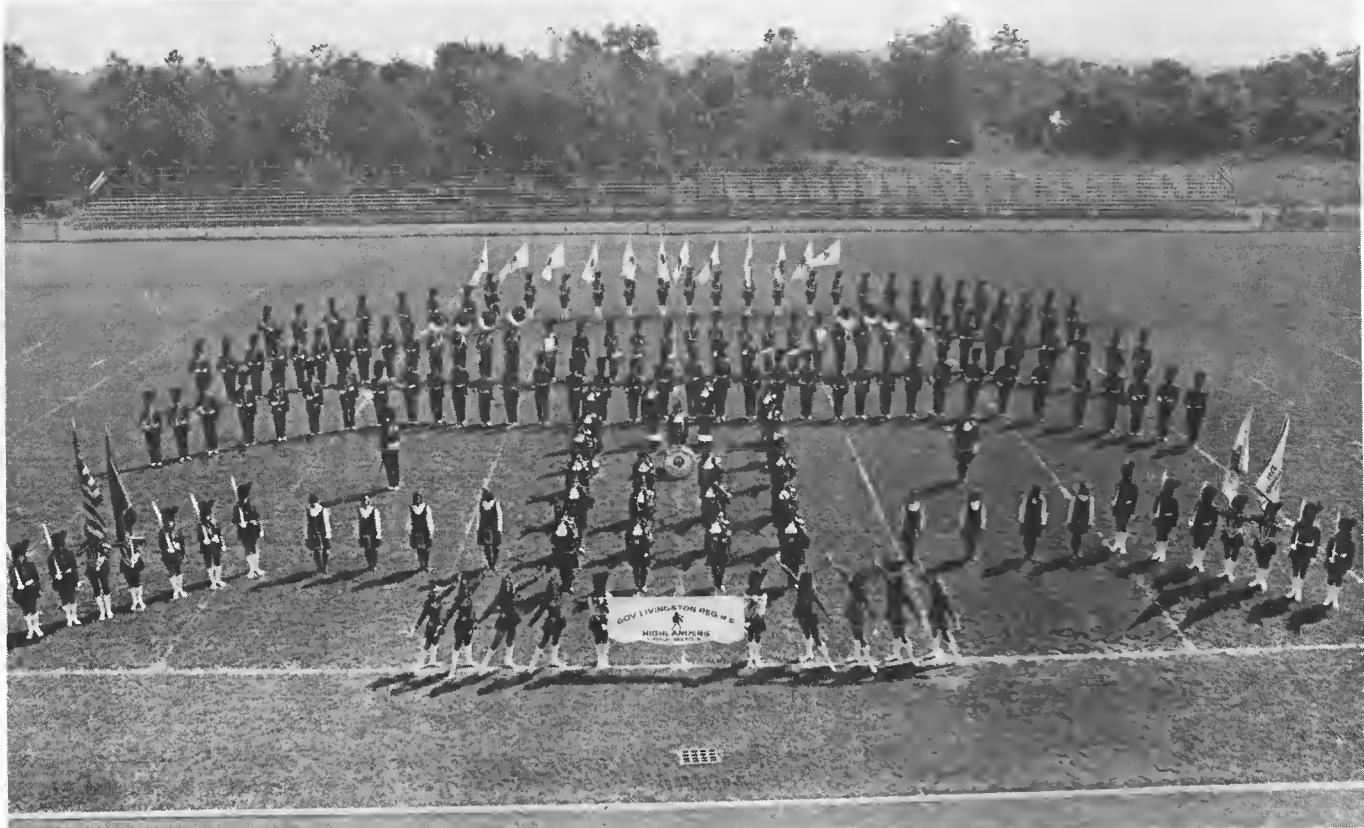
Piscataway High School



Total Enrollment	1,700
Bandsmen	108
Color Guard	10
Lancers	12
Flag Twirlers	11
Pom Pom Girls	10

Supt. of Schools	Dr. H. Victor Crespy
Principal	Allerton Spence
Music Supervisor	Channing F. Coppage
Band Director	R. B. Bradshaw
Asst. Band Director	J. T. Mundi
Drill Team and Twirling Advisor	D. Abell
Percussion Advisor	A. Valosin
Drum Majorette	Eileen Knabe
Lancer and Twirling Captains	Georgetta Gaddy, Bev Hause, Michelle McKenna
Drill Team and Color Guard Captains	J. Shugan, B. Wolfe, M. Zelesny

Governor Livingston Regional High School



Total Enrollment	1,640
Bandsmen	90
Color Guard	28
Twirlers	14
Flag Twirlers	19

Supt. of Schools	Dr. Harmon Wade
Principal	Dr. Stanley Godleski
Music Coordinator	Mr. Connie Tarentino
Band Director	James F. King
Color Guard Flag Captain	Lorrie Day
Color Guard Rifle Captain	Jan Bechmann
Varsity Baton Captain	Debbie Di Pasquale
J. V. Baton Captain	Annette Ciattarelli
Varsity Flag Captain	Mary Ellen Sweeney
J. V. Flag Captain	Audrey Lipinski
Drill Team Officers	Janet Zaorski Pres., Sally Woodland V.P.
Band President	Gail Manners
Band Vice President	Leo Morrissey
Treasurer	Neil Miller
Secretary	Linda Manners

Bridgewater-Raritan High School East



Total Enrollment	1,640
Bandsmen	96
Color Guard	6
Twirlers	8
Flag Corps	16
Highlander Girl Pipers & Dancers	28

Supt. of Schools	Dr. Donald Merachnik
Acting Principal	Peter Festante
Director of Bands	Forrest A. Bartlett
Marching Band Director	Daniel Kopcha
Twirling Instructor	Mrs. Cindy Foster
Drum Major	Steve Pecca
Twirling Co-Captains	Debi Ryan, June La Secla
Color Guard Co-Captains	Kathy Houghtaling, Cornelia Geiger
Flag Corps Co-Captains	Laurie Sherwood, Jean Van Newhyzen
Highlander Pipe Major	Patty Wohlfert
Highlander Drum Major	Francie Carver

Carteret High School



Total Enrollment	1,500
Bandsmen	35
Color Guard	10
Twirlers	10
Flag Twirlers	10

Supt. of Schools	Robert O'Donnell
Principal	Douglas King
Music Supervisor	Philip Waron
Band Director	Richard Torrisi
Twirling Advisor	Miss Judith Fuchs
Color Guard Advisor	Angelo Bassillo
Band President	David Magyarits
Twirling Captains	Marianne Sideris, Suzanna Strusiaik
Color Guard Captain	Karen Kashickey
Flag Twirler Captain	Diane Rytel

Somerville High School



Total Enrollment	1,350
Bandsmen	70
Color Guard	30
Twirlers	12
Pom Pom Girls	24

Supt. of Schools	Dr. James J. Dwyer
Principal	Michael Crisci
Music Supervisor	Bernard R. Johnson
Band Director	Peter M. Angelakos
Twirling and Color Guard Advisor	Thomas Deto
Drum Major	Lori Donaldson
Twirling Captain	Paula Maciborski
Color Guard Captain	Sharon Morella

Jonathan Dayton Regional High School



Total Enrollment	1,400
Bandsmen	64
Color Guard	15
Twirlers	10
Drill Team	10

Supt. of Schools	Dr. Donald Merachnik
Principal	Robert LaVanture
Music Supervisor	Dr. Martin Siegel
Band Director	Jeffrey E. Anderson
Asst. Band Director	Edward Shiley
Drum Majorette	Patty Heimlich
Twirling Captain	Jody Ross
Color Guard Captain	Debbie Ironson
Drill Team Captain	Marie Wilson

Edison High School



Total Enrollment	1,650
Bandsmen	65
Color Guard	12
Twirlers	18
Flag Twirlers	15

Supt. of Schools	Charles A. Boyle
Principal	Leo Scanlon
Band Director	Bernard Stark
Twirling and Color Guard Advisor	Mrs. Jean Bergold
Twirling Captain	Denise Greer
Flag Twirling Captain	Carol Richman
Color Guard Captain	Sharon Williams

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*Leonard
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